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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filling of a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the Office Action mailed on July 16, 2003.

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the Deposit

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